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In re Application of

Applicant: JEAN-YVES CHENARD ET AL : Group 153

Serial No.: 254,313 : Examiner:
V. Hoke

Filed: April 15, 1981 :

For: IMPROVEMENT IN THE STABILIZATION
OF VINYL HALIDE POLYMERS

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action of June 14, 1984 (paper No. 19), ~~reconsideration~~ is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks and the accompanying declarations under 37 CFR 1.131 of Michel Foure, Jean-Claude Mendelsohn, Jean-Yves Chenard, and the declarations under 37 CFR 1.132 of Philip E. Rakita and William A. Larkin.

STATUS OF THE CLAIMS

In the Office Action of June 14, 1984 (paper No. 19) the Examiner finally rejected claims 59 to 62 and 64 to 69 under 35 USC 102(a) as being fully met by any one of Japanese Patents No. 56-2336 and 55-160044.

The Examiner indicated that the affidavit of Michel Foure submitted December 21, 1983 failed to overcome the rejection and failed to serve any probative purpose.

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